

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

<hr/> <b>In re:</b>  <b>BARRY PORTNOY,</b>  <b>Debtor.</b> <hr/>	: : : : : :	<b>Chapter 7</b>  <b>Case No. 14-16081-MDC</b>
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**JOINDER IN TRUSTEE’S MOTION TO APPROVE AGREEMENT BY AND  
BETWEEN THE TRUSTEE AND REPUBLIC BANK TO JOINTLY PURSUE AND  
ALLOCATE FUNDS RECOVERED IN CONNECTION WITH CLAIMS (DKT. NO. 410)**

Republic First Bank (“Republic Bank”), by its undersigned counsel, hereby joins in the Trustee’s Motion to Approve Agreement By and Between the Trustee and Republic Bank to Jointly Pursue and Allocate Funds Recovered in Connection With Claims (the “Motion”) (Dkt. No. 410). For all the reasons set forth therein, as incorporated herein by reference, Republic Bank requests this Honorable Court grant the Motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that true and correct copies of the foregoing JOINDER IN TRUSTEE’S MOTION TO APPROVE AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE TRUSTEE AND REPUBLIC BANK TO JOINTLY PURSUE AND ALLOCATE FUNDS RECOVERED IN CONNECTION WITH CLAIMS (DKT. NO. 410) was served on 13<sup>th</sup> Day of December, 2016 on the following parties in this matter via this Court’s electronic filing system and/or first-class mail:

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